

At a Provinciaall Court held at s<sup>t</sup> Maries the fifth of April in the yeare aforesaid and there continued untill the fifteenth day of the same month at which Said fifth day were present.

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	The Right Hon <sup>ble</sup> the Lord Proprietary	}	justices.
The Hon <sup>ble</sup> {	Philip Calvert Esq <sup>r</sup> Chancellour		
	W <sup>m</sup> Calvert Esq <sup>r</sup> Principall Secretary		
	Baker Brooke Esq <sup>r</sup> Survey <sup>r</sup> Generall		
	Thomas Taillor Esq <sup>r</sup>		
	Jesse Wharton Esq <sup>r</sup>		

Then was the Hon<sup>ble</sup> William Calvert Esq<sup>r</sup> Sworne Principall Secretary of this Province according to the forme of the Oath (mutatis mutandis) ut est in Li<sup>b</sup> C: B: Co<sup>m</sup>isso<sup>n</sup>s from his Lordshipp.

Then was John Blomfeild Sworne Clerke of the Provinciaall Court, Keeper of the lesser seale, and Clerke of his Lo<sup>pp</sup>s Councell ut est mutatis mutandis in li<sup>b</sup> Consil J: J: fo<sup>l</sup> 13.

Then were Benjamin Rozet, Kenelm Cheseldyn, George Parker Peter Sayer Robert Carville, Robert Ridgely, Mathew Warde Charles Boteler John Jones and John Rousby Gent sworne Attornyes of this Court.

The Court adjourned till the morrow 9 a clocke.

April the 6<sup>th</sup> 1676.

Then was his Lordships Com<sup>m</sup>ission constituteing and appointing justices of this Court read, the tenor whereof followeth in these words vizt

Ch: Baltemore,

Charles Absolute Lord and Proprietary of the Provinces of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baltemore &c To all and Singular Our Sheriffs and cheife Officers and all Others of Our Province of Maryland aforesaid Greeting Whereas aswell for Our Owne conservation as for the conservation of the Peace and tranquility of Our Said Province, And to the end that justice and equity may be duly and impartially ministred to all and every person and persons bodies politique and Corporate of and within Our Province of Maryland aforesaid Wee have constituted assigned and appointed and doe hereby constitute assigne and appoint Our deare Unckle Philip Calvert Esq<sup>r</sup> Our Chancellour and William Calvert Esq<sup>r</sup> Our Secretary of Our said Province Baker Brooke Esq<sup>r</sup> Our Surveyour Generall, Samuel Chew Esq<sup>r</sup> Thomas Taillor Esq<sup>r</sup> and Jesse Wharton Esq<sup>r</sup> to be Our justices of Our Provinciaall Court of Our Said Province dureing Our pleasure aswell for the holding of all pleas touching and relateing unto the conservation of Us and the conservation of the Peace of Our said Province, as for the holding of pleas touching